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**Function of the Military-Scientific Branch and Delineation  
of Areas of Responsibility**

1. The following information is submitted as requested in the staff meeting of 26 July, 1957.

2. Briefly the functions of the Military-Scientific Branch may be stated as follows:

1. Nuclear Energy
2. Guided Missiles
3. Aircraft and Airfields
4. Electronics
5. Military Installations and Equipment
6. Military - Scientific Research and Development

3. A more detailed breakdown of the assigned functions and a delineation of areas of responsibility will be found on the following pages.

4. The delineation of areas of responsibility is meant to serve primarily as a means of expediting handling of routed documents, maintenance of Branch reference files, and project assignment. It may also prove to be a logical organizational breakdown of the Branch into Sections and Units.

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